



Animal Medical Center

Initial Boarding Agreement, Policies and Preauthorization for Emergency Care

Owner: _____

Pet's name: _____ Sex: _____ Altered: Y N

Animal Medical Center Kennel Policies

Vaccines: In order to protect the health of your pet, this facility requires documentation showing that all boarding dogs have current Rabies, DA2PP, and Bordetella vaccines, and all boarding cats have current Rabies and FVRCP vaccines **as required by the veterinarian**. If any of your pets' vaccinations are past due, they must be inoculated before boarding. Vaccines that must be administered at this facility will be added to your bill. Pets that are so young that they have not completed their entire series of vaccinations may not yet be protected; thus, owners accept any risks of infection.

Diet: Our boarding facility normally feeds Science Diet Kennel products to our boarding pets. We will be happy to feed another commercial or prescription diet to your pet while boarding as long as you bring it with you and provide feeding instructions. Any special diets required by your pet and provided by Animal Medical Center must be purchased.

Parasites: All pets entering the boarding kennels must be free of external parasites (fleas and ticks) or they will be treated at the owner's expense.

Medications: If your pet will be receiving medication during his or her stay, it is preferred that the medication come in the original container with instructions for administration and your veterinarian's phone number on the label (if not supplied by Animal Medical Center) **There will be an additional charge for medicating patients while boarding.**

General Kennel Policies:

- Boarding fees are calculated by the night no matter what time the animal is admitted or released within the hours of operation. You are welcome to get an estimate when boarding reservations are made
- Pets must be picked up by 6:00pm M - F and by 3:00pm on Sat. There are no discharges allowed after hours, Sundays or holidays.
- This facility cannot guarantee the health of any animal, but pledges to provide appropriate care to all boarders. I agree to hold this facility harmless for conditions that are often unavoidable in boarding environments, including but not limited to, weight loss or gain, rough hair coat, kennel cough, upper respiratory infection, diarrhea, and fleas.
- I acknowledge that in the event of an emergency, or if my pet (identified above) becomes ill, Animal Medical Center may not be able to contact me or my authorized agent immediately. Therefore, I authorize Animal Medical Center to initiate appropriate treatment until my agent or I can be reached. I agree to pay all related expenses associated with the treatment of my pet until my agent or I am available to discuss further care and related fees with the attending veterinarian.
- If a tranquilizer is needed to handle my pet while boarding, I give Animal Medical Center authorization to administer such medications at my expense.

I agree to make full payment at the time of discharge. I certify that my pet(s) appears to be free of contagious disease and has not bitten anyone in the past ten days. I accept that if I fail to pick up my pet(s) within ten days of notification at the above address, it will be considered abandoned and will be handled in accordance with state law, and that doing so does not relieve me of my financial obligations.

I have read the above and I am in full agreement.

Signature of Owner or Authorized Agent

Date